



Docket No.: 22841.018

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of	:	Customer No.: 29277
NICOLSON et al.	:	Confirmation No.: 6172
Serial No.: 09/640,526	:	Group Art Unit: 1714
Filed: August 17, 2000	:	Examiner: Edward Cain
For: EXTENDED WEAR OPHTHALMIC LENS :	:	

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.111 TO
OFFICE ACTION OF NOVEMBER 6, 2003**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on November 6, 2004, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks, and a petition of a three month extension of the time to respond. The Examiner is requested to enter the following amendments and consider the accompanying remarks. Reconsideration is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing to the claims that begins on page 3 of this paper.

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Remarks begin on page 29 of this paper.

Enclosed with this paper is a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement.

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